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Re: Docket Number 00P-1370/CP1 & PSA1

Dear Dr. Coyne,

Pursuant to 21 CFR 10.30 (e)(2), this letter informs you that the we are still considering your Citizen Petition request to change the established name of Zaroxolyn Tablets from "metolazone, tablets, USP" to "metolazone slow-low release tablets" and your related Petition for Stay of Action, requesting that the FDA stay the approval of all ANDAs or NDAs that have been filed or may be filed in the future until the requested name change has been effected.

We expect to conclude our evaluation shortly and will respond to your petition once that process is completed.

Sincerely yours,

Janel Woodcock, M.D.

Director

Center for Drug Evaluation and Research